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THREATENED CRISIS.

DIPLOMACY AVERTS INTERNATIONAL COMPLICATIONS.

How a Negro Justice of the Peace Held a British Vessel With a Writ of "Ne Exeat Republicum"—The Writ Was Dissolved In Liquor and a Laugh Went Around.

During the reign of the carpetbaggers in Georgia a very black but brainy old negro named Tonis G. Campbell came down from the north and became one of the leaders of his race.

In the course of time Campbell was made a justice of the peace at the port of Darien. Then the trouble began in earnest.

Justice Campbell had no use for the whites because he knew that they cordially hated him.

But he did not confine his animosity to Georgians or to Democrats. He employed a number of negro constables, authorized them to carry weapons, and in a short time made his court a terror to the community.

So much by way of introduction. One summer a British sailing vessel came to Darien and took on a cargo of naval stores. Before getting ready to sail the captain settled everything due from him and his crew—that is, everything in the way of a just account. He secured his papers, when several negro traders of the lowest class unexpectedly put in claims for goods that had never been purchased.

These cormorants alleged that the captain and his sailors were indebted to them for meals, merchandise, lodging and other things.

It was evident that these claims were fraudulent, and the captain continued his preparations for his departure.

The afternoon he was to weigh anchor Justice Campbell held a consultation with a shyster lawyer.

"I want to hold that —— foreigner here," said Campbell, "until he settles these bills!"

"In England," replied the lawyer, "when you want to prevent people from leaving the country, you issue a writ of ne exeat regnum."

Justice Campbell came near falling to the floor.

"Just say that again," he said excitedly.

"A writ of ne exeat regnum."

"I see—I see," said Campbell. "Well, I want you to draw up one and keep that fellow here."

The shyster's resources were limited, and he explained to his friend that regnum meant kingdom, and as this country was a republic there would have to be a change in the verbiage.

"Change it," commanded the black justice.

The lawyer then admitted that he knew very little Latin, and for that reason was somewhat embarrassed.

"This is a republic," he said.

"All right," was the prompt reply of Campbell. "Draw up a writ of ne exeat republicum."

"I am afraid it is bad Latin," objected the lawyer.

"I'll make it stick," answered the justice. "I'll sign the paper and swear in six special constables to enforce it."

This was enough, and the lawyer proceeded to draw up the most remarkable document ever seen in America.

The writ covered 20 pages of foolscap and ordered the Englishman, under the severest pains and penalties, to remain with his ship at Darien until he settled all claims.

It was a sultry August afternoon, and the vessel was about ready to depart, when it was boarded by Justice Campbell and six negro constables armed with guns.

The justice read the writ to the captain, and after informing him that the constables would remain until the matter was adjusted the judicial tyrant went ashore again.

The captain retired to the cabin with the mate and talked it over.

Finally a plan of action was agreed upon, and when the ship's officers reappeared they were apparently in a good humor. They told the constables that they were welcome as the representatives of the law and requested them to enjoy the freedom of the vessel.

The constables were overwhelmed with tobacco and cigars and an occasional dram until their suspicions vanished.

Then the captain and his crew displayed still more hospitality, and the bottle was freely passed around.

At midnight six negro constables were in a drunken slumber, the effect of their drugged liquor, and the captain and his men were wide awake and perfectly sober.

The blacks were carefully deposited in a boat and set adrift in the harbor, and then the British sloop quietly weighed anchor and left the port at an hour when Justice Campbell was dreaming of his new and wonderful writ of ne exeat republicum.

The constables were picked up next day and sent to jail for neglect of duty, but the vessel was then beyond reach.

The British captain went straight to Savannah, where he laid his case before his consul and demanded an apology and an indemnity from the United States government.

The consul found it difficult to keep his face straight when he heard the story.

"It is an outrage," he said to the captain, "but it is a peculiar one and of a ludicrous nature. If I were you, I would not hold a friendly government responsible for the conduct of a few ignorant persons, who have not been free long enough to know their own rights and respect the rights of others.

It required a good deal of talk to appease the Englishman, but after he had been wined and dined by the merchants and had told his story a score of times, amid roars of laughter, he began to regard the affair as a good joke and agreed to let it drop.

And thus ended what threatened to be a serious international complication. —Chicago Times-Herald.

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The Way They Did It.

Chauncey M. Depew says that he has had personal experience in seeking office—not for himself, however, but for others—from every Republican president. He says that Mr. Lincoln would always listen attentively to what he had to say and then tell a funny story. On his way back to the hotel he would think over the story, and finally see that it landed his candidate way out of sight.

General Grant always received an application for office, as toasts to the memory of Washington are drunk—standing and in silence.

President Hayes listened for awhile, then broke out into lamentations that the attention of the president of the United States should be diverted from the great affairs of state to distribute patronage. Then he would make a memorandum in a little red book, which was to remind him not to do it.

General Garfield would put his arm around your neck, tell you how much he loved you, and then forget what you had asked of him.

President Arthur would listen with polite attention to all you had to say, then refer you to some man in New York whom you were never able to find.

President Harrison would sink down into his chair until you had presented the claims of your candidate and then change the subject.

President McKinley's methods have not been developed.—Chicago Record.

No Better, Evidently.

Nephew—Hello, uncle! How's the gout?

Uncle—How's the gout? Confound you! What's that infernal thing round your neck?

Nephew—Er—er—only my collar, I believe.

Uncle—Bah! You look like a donkey looking over a whitewashed wall.—London Punch.

It is estimated that about $70,000 worth of meat and $90,000 worth of bread are daily consumed in New York city, while for amusements the public spends not more than $80,000 per day at the theaters.

As Bad as This?

"Who shall persuade coming ages," asks a writer in the Chicago Times-Herald, "that the busiest city in the world harbors women who pursue whist as the chief duty of life; who screw up their household finances to the tightest possible point in order to pay an expert $3 an hour for instruction in its sacred code; who meet over card tables at 9 o'clock in the morning, hurry up their marketing and hush up their children in order to attend whist luncheons at 1, come home again with vexed and wearied brains to sit silent at dinner, absorbed in regrets for leads unreturned and signals unanswered, and wind up the unregenerate day by lingering over a whist table until midnight?"

Foxy Fred.

"So you want to marry Fred, do you?" said the father.

"Yes, papa," replied the daughter, with her arms about his neck.

"And go away and leave me all alone?"

"Why, no, papa! I know Fred will be willing to leave mamma with you!"—Yonkers Statesman.

It is a peculiarity of Russian railways that their stations are generally two miles or more distant from the towns and villages they serve. This is said to be on account of the danger of fire, the houses in small places generally being thatched with straw.

The royal arsenal at Woolwich employs about 15,000 workmen and has 40 miles of internal railways.

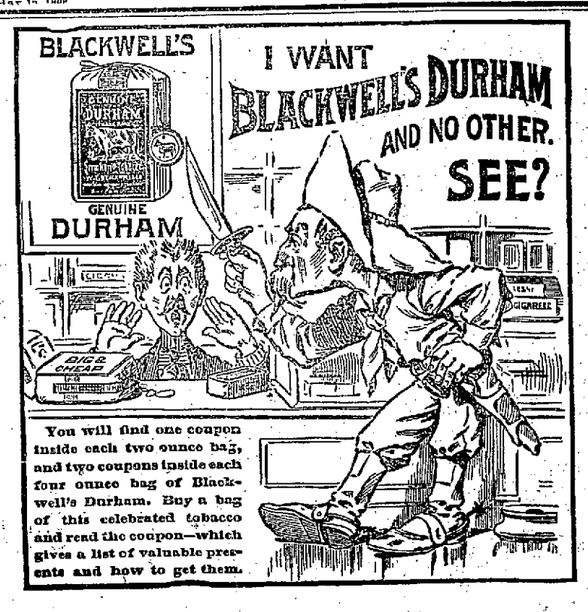
Wanted Lawyers.

Of those would be litigants who, like Bottom, "in the way of bargain," will "cavil on the ninth part of a hair," a Kentucky lawyer tells in the Louisville Courier-Journal this good story:

I was in my partner's office at Brownville one day, when a tall, lank native, about 50 years of age, came in. After he had warmed himself we inquired of him his business. To the inquiry he replied:

"I want ter bring suit ag'in old man H.'s estate. During the war he drafted me for service, and when I showed up he said he didn't need me. Iff I had 'a' went in, I would have been a-drawin a pension now, and I want ter sue him fer damages fer keepin me from drawin a pension."

When we told him that his cause for action was no good, he shambled out of the office and remarked that "there was no jestice in law nohow."



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A VETERAN'S VALUABLE ADDITION TO WAR LITERATURE.

How an Odd Signal Agreed Upon by Brothers, Who Were on Opposite Sides, Was Finally Used—A Mystery the Old Soldier Didn't Try to Explain.

As the reporter was rapidly hurrying past the door of a saloon he was met by an old soldier, who suggestively tipped his hat.

"If you will tell me a story," remarked the reporter, accepting the tip, "I'll pay for the potations. I have a thirst for a story, you have a thirst for a drink. Let us exchange."

The veteran was quick to respond, as the parched soil responds to the grateful rain, and, opening the door, he bowed the reporter in and escorted him to a table in a quiet corner, where presently the potables were served.

"I don't think I could have earned what I am now so greatly and gratefully enjoying," said the veteran, with a glowing cheek, as he set down his glass, after a long swallow, "had it not been that today I met an old comrade from Kentucky, a state, you will remember, which had soldiers in both armies, and good soldiers, I may add. This man, who is now a merchant and comes to New York to buy goods every year, was in the Federal army, and he had a nephew in the same regiment with himself and another in the Confederate army. The young chaps were brothers, and they were mighty fond of each other, but they were fonder of their principles or patriotism or politics, or whatever you may call it, so they agreed to disagree, and each one go to the side he thought was the right side.

"It was a sad parting, for they had been closer together than most brothers, and before they separated they fixed up a kind of signal to identify themselves by, so that if one was wounded and left on the field he could notify the other if it happened they were on the opposite sides in that particular fight. It was a boyish kind of a lottery chance of one in a million, but it suited them, and that's all they cared for. The signal arrangement was to be a light chain with a note fastened to it, and the whole thing was to be fastened to the bullet and dropped into the old muskets they had in those days. This was to be fired at random up into the air to fall among the soldiers of the opposite side to be picked up as it might and taken to the man whose address was in the note, along with other instructions to be followed out by the brother who might be in condition to do it. You can see how childish and almost impossible it was, but there was just that chance in it that made it attractive to the boys, and they told each other goodby and went their ways, the one to the north, the other to the south, each bearing with him his chain and note of identification attached to the bit of lead that some day might bear on its wings the message of death."

The veteran was becoming poetic and pathetic, and the reporter suggested a refilling of the glasses, and the suggestion met with immediate and pleased approval.

"For the first two years," continued the veteran, "the boys hadn't any occasion to use their signals, for they had gone through unscathed, and, besides, they were serving in sections of the country widely separated, but in 1863, in the fall, they were with the armies fighting through Tennessee, though they had lost track of each other except in a general way.

"Just what they knew of each other's whereabouts I don't know, but one night in November there was a skirmish somewhere in the neighborhood of Knoxville, in which 500 or 600 men on a side were engaged, without result, and both sides had settled down for the night to wait and fight it out by daylight. There were a lot of wounded men, and dead ones, too, for that matter, scattered through the woods, where most of the fighting had been. There was a cornfield about a quarter of a mile wide separating the woods, and there had been some scrapping in this open ground, though most of the fighting had been done from cover, as these small skirmish line fights generally are.

"I was corporal of the guard that night, and by 6 o'clock there was only an occasional shot, as if each side was quitting reluctantly and by inches. I am not positive, but it seems to me that I heard the last two shots before stillness settled over all. What the details of the romance, or the tragedy, or whatever you want to call it, are I don't know. I know, though, that during the night we had re-enforcements, and when we began to cautiously peep around, as soon as the day began to break, we discovered that the enemy had by some hook or crook taken alarm and departed in the night, leaving their dead on the field, and among them, when we sent out our burying party, we found one of those boys with a bullet through his lung and another, bearing a chain and a note, buried in his brain. On our side we found the other nephew with both legs broken by a ball and a bullet through his heart, with a chain and note attached to it."

The reporter threw up his hands in amazement, not to say doubt.

"I don't try to explain it," the veteran hastened to say apologetically. "I know it is hard to explain. It is even hard to believe, but what is a man to do or to say when he sees such things with his own eyes?"—New York Sun.

In the Louvre, at Paris, there is an interesting old vase of Etruscan manufacture, whose age is computed at about 2,500 years. It is interesting as bearing a group of children in relief who are engaged in blowing soap bubbles from pipes.

At Lofoten fisheries last year final returns were: 38,600,000 codfish, 11,000 hectoliters of liver, 42,000 hectoliters of fish roe and 13,300 hectoliters of medicinal steam refined cod liver oil.

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THE SILVER MEN VICTORIOUS.

The elections in several Eastern States last Tuesday show that the silver men achieved a signal victory, as they would have done last November had it not been for Mr. Hanna's campaign fund and fraudulent counts in Chicago and the other large cities. The most notable successes were in Detroit, Michigan; Cincinnati, Ohio, and Chicago, Illinois, in each and all of which the silver men defeated the goldbugs. Mayor Pingree's successor in Detroit will be a silver man and Carter Harrison, Jr., the silver nominee, received more votes in Chicago than all his goldbug competitors, Republican and Democratic, combined.

The vote in Chicago, though the election was hotly contested, shows a falling off from 354,000 last November to about 235,000 last Tuesday. The latter represents the normal and legal vote of the city, the vote of last November having been abnormally swelled by hobos and imported voters from other States, who were quartered in the city at the expense of the trusts, to carry Illinois for McKinley.

The people to-day fully realize that prosperity cannot be restored to the country until the volume of money is increased. The most natural way to expand the currency is to restore silver to its historic place as a money metal by opening the mints to its coinage on an equality with gold at the ratio of 16 to 1. We want money that will be a legal tender at home for all debts, public and private, and if Europe does not want that money and will not exchange its commodities for it is so much the better for the United States.

NOT ABOVE CRITICISM.

The article published in another column of this issue relating to the bill of $76 15 for disinfecting and fumigating the bedding and clothes taken from the Clarendon Hotel after a case of scarlet fever that occurred there, is not presented in malice or with an intent to injure any of the parties. The JOURNAL believes the bill to be not only exhorbitant, but illegal, even though it was one-eighth of the amount claimed, and we have taken the pains to submit the items to men who are perhaps as well versed in the science of fumigation as the gentlemen connected with this transaction. Mr. Beck has been and is, as far as we know, friendly to the JOURNAL, but as a public officer he is not exempt from criticism or even condemnation if he does wrong, and in this instance we believe that he has. He has repeatedly told the writer that if ever in any official capacity he allowed himself to be cajoled into using his position for the private ends of any individual he would expect to be called down. Besides this he has, as a private citizen and taxpayer, been foremost in criticising the official acts of others. The JOURNAL has frequently opened its columns to him for this purpose and while it is to be regretted, we believe the time has come to remind him that his oft' repeated advice and suggestions to others in managing public affairs might be applied to himself in the above instance with salutary effect for the remainder of his term and economic results for the county.

JUDGE HAWLEY DECIDES THE QUESTION OF OWNERSHIP OF A DISPUTED TITLE.

Judge Hawley rendered his decision, Monday, in the land cases which involved the land of Geo. Alt, J. W. Boynton and several other Glendale farmers, in favor of the latter.

It will be remembered that under an act of Congress relating to the sale of the Sioux reservation, the Indians were reimbursed in land scrip, and one Charles Muzzer was entitled to a certificate for 480 acres. Muzzer did not receive his certificate, and years afterwards, an Indian claiming to be Muzzer appeared before the commissioner and demanded his claim. Upon advancing what was believed to be adequate identification, his demand was complied with, and he took up land in Washoe county, which he subsequently sold.

The genuine Charles Muzzer appeared a short time ago and applied at Washington for his rights, and proved the fraudulent transaction of years ago. A suit followed againgt the settlers, in which the Government was plaintiff, to dispossess them of the land of which they were innocent purchasers and which had been improved to the extent of thousands of dollars.

Judge Hawley justly decided in favor of the defendants, and this removes any further question regarding their title to land that they had owned and lived upon for a quarter of a century.

NOT A CONTINUOUS ROUND OF PLEASURE.

President McKinley is now enjoying some of the luxuries and pleasures of being the executive officer of the nation. Crowds of office seekers tumble over one another in their efforts to secure an interview. He is worried by people who call on the slightest pretext and resort to all kinds of tactics in order to be presented. If he goes out for a ride or walk he is surrounded by a mob composed of people who are there from idle curiosity, and others who want some favor.

He is of course expected to retain a pleasant demeanor no matter how annoying the circumstances may be, and his stereotyped smile becomes a part of his everyday costume. Presidents are very much like other men in general disposition and it is quite probable that the Major retires to some secluded place after a hard day's experience and butts his head against the wall and kicks himself for accepting the Presidency.

GOOD JUDGMENT OF PRINCE CONSTANTINE.

Crown Prince Constantine in command of the Greek troops, previous to the 76th anniversary of the rising of the standard of the Cross against the Crescent, which led to Grecian independence, issued a general order for the troops to display the utmost self-restraint and not allow themselves to be carried away by remembrances of the glorious day. He showed by this order something of the conditions existing between his own country and the Turkish Government and fully realized that in the height of enthusiasm during the celebration his own people might commit some overt act that would precipitate a war. By his quiet judgment he proved himself to be a great general and perhaps the hint given sufficed to prevent a complication of the troubles now existing in the far East.

THERE is a rumpus going on at Sacramento in municipal official circles. Mayor Hubbard and some of the city trustees are at outs and all sorts of harsh things are being said and a general digging up of old scores is the order of the day.

The *Bee*, by way of consolation, suggests "that if these people are howling for vindication, a splendid plan to obtain all they want of it would be for each one to sue all the others for libel."

GOVERNOR LEEDY of Kansas may be possessed of many queer ideas, politically and socially, but upon one subject his head is level. In reply to an appeal for grain for the famine stricken districts of India, the Governor said that he believed the surplus corn of Kansas could be used to better advantage among the distressed people of the Mississippi flood regions.

FATHER SMULTEN, the priest, has refused to accept the £60,000 left him by Miss Isabel Murphy, who died in London, March 24. Father Smulten was the religious adviser and friend of Miss Murphy and was her legatee, but he declined the fortune and requested that it be divided among the relatives of the deceased.

THE GREEKS CELEBRATE

The Anniversary of Their Independence.

ATHENS, April 7.—Throughout yesterday evening the palaces of King George and Crown Prince Constantine were blazing with lights and the city generally was a mass of illumination in the celebration of the anniversary of Greek independence in 1821. The displays of fireworks were numerous, and in all parts of Athens were patriotic assemblages at which war-like orations were delivered, the speakers being greeted with cheers for the king and for war. During the evening there was a grand military tatoo in which all the bands of the city took part. The whole population thronged the streets, cheering everybody and everything and for war with the Turks, but in spite of the demonstration of patriotism and loyalty there were no disturbances worth noting.

Congressional.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—The President this morning sent to Congress a special message regarding the flood sufferers in the Mississippi Valley, which recites facts learned from the Governors and prominent citizens of Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Tennessee, regarding the extent of the submerged area and the number of people who lost all their property and crops, as well as the inability to raise anything the present season; and says that $150,000 to $200,000 will be necessary to relieve their wants. It cites former occasions when the general government gave money in aid of unfortunates, and strongly urges Congress to promptly make an appropriation in the present case.

Senator Jones of Arkansas offered a joint resolution appropriating $150,000 for supplies to the Mississippi river sufferers, and it has been taken up by the Senate. Catchings of Mississippi offered a resolution appropriating $200,000 for the relief of flood sufferers.

The Senate passed the Jones resolution, and the House the Catchings resolution. This would have left an awkward situation, but the Senate yielded precedence to the House and recalled its resolution, and promptly passed the House resolution, which now goes to the President. It apppopriates $200,000.

At 1:20 the Cuban resolution, introduced by Morgan, was taken up in the Senate without objection, and Morgan resumed his speech.

The President signed the resolution for the relief of the flood sufferers this afternoon. He authorized the Secretary of the Navy to secure a ship for the transportation of goods to the famine sufferers of India. Soon after, the Presidential party drove to the wharf and embarked on the Dolphin for a few days' outing.

House.

WASAINGTON, April 7.—Simpson of Kansas created a scene in the House to-day by denouncing Speaker Reed for his failure to appoint committees, announcing that he would oppose all attempts to legislate by consent until the House organized. Speaker Reed replied that the House had control of the Speaker. A reasonable time always has been allowed the Speaker for estimating new members. He had consulted the members and supposed until to-day that the feeling of the House was that the committees should not be appointed.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

Carter H. Harrison is elected Mayor of Chicago. He received 144,828 votes.

The wheat market had a bad break yesterday. Chicago prices amounted to a small panic. May wheat, which closed in that market on Monday at 69¼ cents, opened at 68½ cents and fell to 63⅜ cents.

At the annual meeting of the Southern Pacific Company yesterday the old board of directors was re-elected, with the exception of Jules Kruttenitt, who was elected to succeed the late A. L. Tubbs. The officers of the company will be elected to-day.

The Interstate Commerce Commission has notified most of the road making up the Joint Traffic Association, to forward to the Commission by next Saturday full information about grain shipments and contracts and agreements in force between April 1, 1896, and March 1, 1897.

As a result of a fire at 1 o'clock yesterday morning in the Overland Lodging House at Seattle, the lower floor being occupied by the offices of the Salvation Army, the building was gutted and the roof of the Salvation Army wood yard burned off. The loss will reach $15,000.

It is rumored here that Russia made a separate proposal to the effect that if Greece withdraws her troops from Crete, Russia will agree to obtain the withdrawal of Turkish troops from Crete, and Russia promises that Prince George of Greece will be sent to organize the Cretan gendarmes.

The Viavi Cause.

It is impossible to take Viavi into the system without benefit. It is purely vegetable and as a nerve and tissue builder has no equal. It can be used with perfect safety by the most delicate, and is used upon the smallest children.

Patrons of the remedy can consult our physicians free of charge. I will take pleasure in explaining its various uses to all who may call.

MRS. B. E. HUNTER.
Fourth St.

FIFTY-CENT COLUMN.

☞ All classes of egitimate advertisements not exceeding six lines inserted in this column at 50 cents per week.

A Coat Lost.

Lost a new leather coat between Weiland Brewery and the cattle bridge. The finder will please return to this office.
4-7 J. H. GOOD.

To the Ladies.

Miss A. Motley will have a grand display of French pattern hats, bonnets and novelties in French flowers and other fine millinery Thursday' Friday and Saturday, April 8th 9th and 10th, and will be pleased to show them to all who favor her with a call. 4-4wl

Cemetery Lots Cared For.

Parties having lots in either the Hillside or Knights of Pythias cemeteries and desiring to have them improved or taken care of will do well to apply to
4-3w2 DONALD M'KAY, Sexton.

For Sale.

Being about to break up housekeeping, I will sell at private sale at my residence, corner Riverside and Ralston streets, during the month of April, all my household furniture, carpets, rugs, pictures, kitchen utensils, garden tools, etc. These being all in fair condition and purchased in the East, will be sacrificed at the lowest prices. The rooms will be open for inspection to all wishing to purchase, on Wednesdays and Saturdays, from 2 to 6, P. M.
WILLIAM R. HAMILTON, U. S. Army.
Apr2w4.

For Rent or Sale.

In Reno, a large well furnished house, centrally located with large garden plot and orchard under good cultivation, also barn and outbuildings, will be sold or rented at reasonable terms to right parties. Apply or address JOURNAL office. mar22tf.

Tomales.

Tomales, the very best made, at the corner of Second and Virginia streets, opposite Washoe Bank. Open till 12 o'clock at night. Chickens cooked Spanish style Sunday afternoons at 5 o'clock, also enchilalas. Orders promptly attended to.
d12tf. MRS. N. BLUM.

For Sale.

Fine Homes and Lots and Blocks and 20-acre and 30-acre Tracts, with water. North side of the railroad, opposite the Reduction Works, and also trees, plants and shrubs by the millions, at the Reno and Mt. Hope Nursery.
j14tf STEPHEN CONNER.

Fresh Milk.

If you want pure, fresh milk call on White & Steele. They deliver milk to any part of the city, morning and evening. The cleanliness of their dairy and surroundings! their pride Give them a trial. jy2tf

Washoe Lunch Counter and Saloon.

For a fine meal or a cool glass of beer, best of liquors of all kinds or a good cigar call at the Washoe Lunch Counter and Saloon. A private dining room has been placed at the rear of the counter.
Meals BLOCKER & CLAUSEN, Props

For Sale.

I have lots for sale on Elm street on the south side of my nursery, which, in my judgment, are the best lots that ever have been or will be offered in the town of Reno. All kinds of fruit, shade and ornamental trees and shrubs, all the different varieties of berries, rose bushes, and enough nursery stock on the lots to pay for them.
STEPHEN CONNER

AGENTS WANTED—For War in Cuba, by Senor Quesada, Cuban Representative at Washington, Endorsed by Cuban patriots. In tremendous demand. A bonanza for agents. Only $1 50. Big book big commissions. Everybody wants the only endorsed, reliable book. Outfits free Credit given. Freight paid. Drop all trash, and make $300 a month with War in Cuba. Address to-day, THE NATIONAL BOOK CONCERN, 352-356 Dearborn St., Chicago. 8-27t30.

SPECIAL SALE Of Men's Clothing and Gent's Furnishing Goods.

In order to make room for my SPRING STOCK which is now being received,

I offer for sale all of my present stock of goods at a reduction of 20 per cent. My stock consists of

Men's and Boys' Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps.

Ladies' Misses and Children's Boots, Shoes and Rubbers.

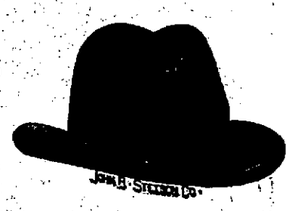
Stetson Hats

Spring Styles

The proper hats for America's uncrowned kings. Give just the proper finish to the attire and wear like true friendship. Stiff and soft hats deserve equal praise.

The latest novelties in Neck Wear, Hosiery, and all kinds of Shirts, Enderwear, Suspenders, Cloves, Etc.

A FULL LINE OF JOHN B. STETSON & CO.'S FINE HATS.



We make a specialty of making clothing to order.

JOHN SUNDERLAND.

This Is Your LAST CHANCE To Purchase FINE CLOTHING AT LESS THAN COST,

For we will positively close our Doors on April 15th.

Mothers

Are invited to call before that date and dress up the boy. Everything unsold on the 15th will positively be packed up for shipment.

Merchants

Are respectfully invited to call and select their goods, for they will save more than freight. The same courtesies will be extended as would be received if buying from wholesalers.

Safe, Shelving and All Store Fixtures For Sale at a Bargain.

☞ Parties indebted to the "WHITE HOUSE" will please call and settle on or before April 15th.

Abrahams Bros.

DIXON BROTHERS

THE LEADING BUTCHERS OF RENO.

Meats of All Kinds at Wholesale and Retail.

The Finest Beef, Mutton, Pork, Veal, Sausage

CONSTANTLY ON HAND. ALSO HAM, BACON AND DRIED BEEF

Bologna, Bloodwurst, Liverwurst, Weinerwurst and Headcheese

SHOP—Corner Commercial Row and Sierra Street, Reno.

Fancy Meats of all kinds put up in the Finest Style of the Art and delivered to all parts of the city free of charge.

THE JOURNAL JOB OFFICE

IS PREPARED TO DO ALL KINDS OF

JOB PRINTING

Promptly and Neatly

Must Go At Any Price!

I am determined to close out the few Jackets and Capes which I have on hand.

Our Winter is not over yet and at the price I am offering above goods it will be money well invested to secure one.

Children's Jackets from 50 cents upwards' Ladies' Capes and Jackets from $2.00 upwards.

New Spring goods arriving daily.

SOL. LEVY.

IMPORTANT!

TO DRY GOODS PURCHASERS!

S. EMRICH, NEXT DOOR TO NEVADA BANK, HAS received the Newest and Latest Styles of

Fall and Winter Dress Goods,
Ladies', Misses' and Children's Capes
in Sealette and Cloth, and
All Kinds of Domestic and House Furnishing Goods,
Which Will Be Sold at

BEDROCK PRICES!

C. NOVACOVICH,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Staple and Fancy Groceries, Vegetables

Green and Dried Fruits, Hardware, Crockery, Glassware
Tobacco, Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

the novelties in Fancy Groceries. No need to send away for goods. Cash trade solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

Wm. Pinniger,
Apothecary
and
Druggist,
Reno, Nevada.

L. D. FOLSOM,

One Price Cash Grocery Store.

Has now on hand about

700 CORDS OF PINE WOOD

Strictly Dry and First-Class,

FULL MEASURE.

That he will sell in lots to suit at $4 50 Cash per cord, Delivered.

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NEVADA STATE JOURNAL

PRICE OF DAILY JOURNAL,
FIFTEEN CENTS PER WEEK
Delivered by Carrier.

THURSDAY, APRIL 8, 1897.

Getting Thin

is often equivalent to getting ill. If loss of flesh can be arrested and disease baffled the "weak spots" in the system are eradicated.

Scott's Emulsion

is an absolute corrective of "weak spots." It is a builder of worn out failing tissue—*nature's food* that stops *waste* and creates healthy flesh.

Prepared by Scott & Bowne, Chemists, New York. Sold by druggists everywhere.

BREVITIES.

Old papers for sale at the JOURNAL office.

The Truckee river was very muddy yesterday.

Pruning and gardening tools at Lange & Schmitt's. *

D. B. Lyman spent Tuesday as the guest of W. O. H. Martin.

Paints and oils, the best and cheapest, at Lange & Schmitt's. *

J. A. Yerington changed cars from the west yesterday morning.

Stoves and ranges of all kinds at San Francisco prices at Lange & Schmitt's au29tf

The Odd Fellows have engaged the Pavilion for their grand ball on the 26th.

Allen Kinkead was a passenger from the west yesterday morning for Virginia.

J. S. McCullough, a brother of J. B. McCullough, spent the day here yesterday.

Trib strengthens the sinews, lubricates the muscles and promotes quick action. *

The Nevada Hardware Company has paints, varnishes and oils in any quantity to suit.

W. E. Sharon and family will spend the summer in Reno, occupying the Newlands houses.

This is the right time to start in building. Then you will have your house completed by fall.

Patrick Horan has purchased Judge Young's home and has moved his family in from the northern country.

Dr. E. C. Phelps will be absent from town for a few days on business. He expects to return during the coming week.

Porter and 'alf and 'alf on draught at the Wieland Brewery at 5 cent s per glass; also porter at wholesale. Leave your orders. *

Henry Riter has a quiet, cosy place, and his patrons receive the best of treatment, no matter what their station in life may be.

The Nevada Hardware and Supply Company has everything in their line. Farming machinery and implements are made a specialty.

Dr. W. L. Kistler, who has been connected with Dr. Patterson for some time, will succeed Dr. P. T. Holmes at Wadsworth. So says the *Dispatch*.

Just received the best stock of furniture, mattresses, baby buggies, carpets, etc., ever brought to Reno at Needham's Furniture Store, Virginia street. *mar20m1

Donnels & Steinmitz are agents for the new Wheeler & Wilson ball bearing sewing machines, which they sell at San Francisco prices. Don't fail to see them. *

Dr. Bergstein received a telegram yesterday afternoon notifying him to receive a patient at last evening's train. This will make 200 patients at the Hospital for Mental Diseases.

Cards are out for the wedding of Bessie Osbiston to Oscar Lachmund, at Idaho Springs, Colorado, April 21st. Old Nevada friends of Colonel and Mrs. F. F. Osbiston send congratulations.

Call at Muller & Stumpf's Pabst agency for fine California and imported wines for family and medicinal purposes. Sherry, port, muscatel, angelica and all dry wines by the gallon. Open every day until 7 o'clock. tf*

A. Nelson will sacrifice his stock of furnishing goods in order to make room for new goods. Now is the time to get bargains. Call at his store on Virginia street. Free employment office connected with the store. *

The following were guests at the Riverside Hotel yesterday: W. J. Ryan, Denver; Joe Sylvester and Wm. H. Weaver, San Francisco; E. D. Boyle and wife, Gold Hill; Miss Emma Boyle, State University; E. S. Farrington, Elko; C. McCullough, San Francisco; J. I. Allenbach and J. E. Rice, Ogden.

Have you a bruise or sprain?
Try Trib.
Do your muscles ache with pain?
Try Trib,
For a linament that cures
And your money's worth insures
Try Trib. *

"BOODLE RAMPANT."

SCIENTIFIC FUMIGATION AND RESEARCH DEVELOPS ANOTHER RING.

Maudlin Sentimentality Furthered at the County's Expense—A Boomerang on "Old Beck's" Reforms.

Professor W. McN. Miller of the University presented a bill to the Board of Commissioners for disinfecting the rooms at the Clarendon Hotel occupied by Mrs. Hartley at the time of the sickness and subsequent death of her child. The Professor no doubt was authorized by some one to do the work, but whoever engaged him did so without authority of law. The Board of Health is empowered to act in cases of contagious diseases or epidemics and to force owners of property to disinfect and use proper precautions for the prevention of the spread of disease where danger presents itself, and if the exigencies of the case demands, or in the case of extreme poverty, a reasonable amount of money perhaps could be expended, but there is no part of the law that could be construed into providing an expenditure of public funds for the purpose of disinfecting the rooms or bedding of a house kept as a public stopping place.

Professor McN. Miller's bill in detail is as follows, and by a careful reading of the items will doubtless cause a majority of the taxpayers to smile when they consider them with Commissioner Beck's repeated published criticisms on the actions of former Boards and his frequent howl of "boodle and lavish expenditure of public funds." Here are the items:

12 pounds of sulphur	$1 00
5 pkgs soda carbonate	50
4 pounds carbolic acid	3 00
1 bar laundry soap	10
3 pair overalls	1 50
1 pair rubber gloves	1 50
18 pkgs mercoric chloride and amonia chloride	3 60
Laundry work	1 25
Pressing clothes (self)	3 60
½ lb carb bi-sulphide	30
1100 cubic ft gas (N. S. U.)	4 40
1 bucket, etc	65
Cartage of clothing, bedding and instruments	2 75
Labor at 40c per hour, viz:	
John Sullivan, 29 hours	11 60
John Sunderland, 26½ hours	10 60
W McN. Miller, 49½ hours	19 80
Supervision of disinfection	10 00
Total	$76 15

[Signed:] W. McN. MILLER.
This bill is correct.
G. H. THOMA.

"Think of it," as Beck would say. One hundred and five hours of labor at 40 cents an hour, also for supervision of the disinfecting process in addition to the labor $10, three pair of overalls, one pair of rubber gloves, and Professor McN. Miller had to have his clothes pressed at a cost to the county of $3 60. Why shouldn't the county pay, and to quote Beck's vernacular again "if not, why not?" Another query presents itself, did Professor McN. Miller draw his salary as a professor at the University during the 49½ hours he was devoting to the philanthropic duty of protecting the public health at 40 cents an hour? Again, if the danger of infection was so great, was it good policy for the professor to have the bedding, clothes, etc., hauled up to the University for the purpose of disinfection, even though the exposure of three hundred children to disease might be ever so remote?

The bill was passed by a unanimous vote of the board and it now remains to be seen whether Auditor Shearer has the backbone he was given credit for during the last administration to veto bills that were contracted without authority of law and allowed by the board. If this bill is paid it will establish a precedent by which every hotel keeper in the town or county could have his rooms and bedding disinfected at the expense of the county in case of disease breaking out in his house. The proprietor of a public hostelry takes a constant risk of disease being brought into his place. It is a part of his business and he provides against it as best he can, and if caught out expects to stand the loss such a circumstance would entail upon him.

Much might be said regarding this whole transaction by way of comment, as it was a subject of general street talk yesterday and some of the criticisms on all parties concerned were very pointed and severe. The JOURNAL publishes the transaction as a matter of news and the taxpayers can draw their own conclusions. There have been other cases of infectious diseases in town where Death stalked into homes and the afflicted families were quarantined and shunned by their neighbors and such measures of precaution enforced by the Board of Health as were deemed proper at private expense, and there is no precedent, unless it be in two or three instances where people were too poor to meet the requirements, was the county ever asked to contribute. In view of this there can only be one construction put upon the whole matter and that is that maudlin sentimentality has overcome the better judgment of sensible men.

School Shoes.

Tassell Brothers have a large and fine assortment of shoes for school children which parents are invited to call and inspect as they are being sold at a very low rate. 6-2tf,

Nevada Press Excursion.

There was a meeting yesterday of a portion of the Executive Committee of the Nevada Press Association in this city, and the matter of the annual Press excursion of the Nevada Newspaper Association was brought up. It was suggested that as the California Press excursion takes place in June with an ocean trip to Portland and return, with some excursions into the interior towns of Oregon, that it would be a good idea to join this excursion—provided the California editors would stand it—and have a general good time together. With this idea in view, Mr. Hummel of the Wadsworth *Dispatch* was authorized to correspond with the officers of the California Press Association and see what could be done in the way of combining the two excursions.

If such an arrangement can be made, due notice will be given the Nevada members.

Mr. Hummel proposes to make this excursion a very lively and interesting one, even better than the April outing of last year, which was a long string of joy and all at a very nominal expense.—*Appeal.*

Electric Lighting Rates.

The JOURNAL has been shown the card of rates for electric lighting of the Salt Lake Gas and Electric Light Company, which shows that by meter the charge for incandescent service is one cent per ampere hour, an average of $1 50 per month per light. Flat rates are, from dusk to 10 o'clock, $1 per month; from dusk to 12 o'clock $1 50 per month; all night $2 50 per month. For arc lighting, the charge is 10 o'clock $10 per month; 12 o'clock $12 50 per month; all night $15 per month.

The rates in Reno, are, therefore, considerably less than in Salt Lake or Ogden, especially when the volume of business is considered.

In Reno an especially low rate is given for residental lighting—6 lights for $3 per month. Flat rates are from dusk to 8 o'clock $1 per month; to 12 o'clock $1 25 per month. all night $1 50 per month. Arc lighting is $2 50 and $3 per week, or $12 per month for all night, moonlight schedule.

Even Spokane, which has the greatest water power on the coast, charges more for light than Reno.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phœbe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her, and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result everything else, then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this remedy for coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Hodgkinson's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and $1.

"The Lady or The Tiger?"

The lecture given by Rev. Frederic C. Lee at the Opera House last evening was not as largely attended as it should have been. All those who missed hearing it missed one of the best treats that has been given in Reno for a long time. "The Lady or The Tiger?" was the subject and it was handled in a masterly manner. Mr. Lee has great dramatic talent as well as a humorous vein which is very pleasing. His impersonation of the drunkard was a good piece of comedy acting and the writer was reminded of the old song entitled, "We've All Been There Before Many a Time." The singing was very good and was appreciated by all.

A Chance for a Reno Girl.

Postmaster Berry received a postal a day or two ago from a man in California asking him to forward the names and addresses of five or six ladies of good character between the ages of 18 and 30 who would like to find a husband and who at present have no prospect. The writer does not offer any inducements in his postal, but doubtless would be more explicit in a confidential letter to an aspirant for matrimonial honors. Mr. Berry will willingly give the address to any young lady desirous of capturing a husband, and as the gentleman lives in a favored portion of California she might get a ranch thrown in.

Diphtheria Cure.

The testimony of a prominent physician:

FOUNTAIN CITY, Ind., June 17, 1895.

This certifies that I have been using V. O. in my practice. I have never found any medical preparation in 46 years of practice that is calculated to do so much good in so wide a range of diseases and leave no after bad effects. *In Diphtheria* it has proved a perfect specific in my hands, and I had rather depend on it alone in that dreadful disease than the whole popular *Materia Medica* with that left out.

T. W. TAYLOR, M. D.

For sale by
o31tf. T. P. Bradshaw, Agent.

School Report.

Following is the report of the North Truckee School for March:

Number of boys enrolled	10
Number of girls enrolled	11
Total number enrolled	21

ROLL OF HONOR.

Clara Shields, Mabel Gritton, Myrtle Frazer, Willie Grose, Eddie Huzlett, Julia Marty, Hazel VanMeter, Isa Hazlett, Gladys Frazer, Lizzie Grose.

JULIA A. HYDE,
Teacher.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food against alum and all forms of adulteration common to the cheap brands.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

BREVITIES.

An honest man can now make a living fishing.

E. S. Farrington of Elko was a westward-bound passenger last night.

Passenger train No. 4 was several hours late last night owing to delays on the eastern connections.

The Odd Fellows of Reno propose to celebrate the anniversary of their order on the 26th of April in becoming style.

Colonel E. D. Boyle and wife spent the day here yesterday visiting their daughter, Miss Emma, who is attending the University.

Fishing along the Truckee is reported better than for years. Men and boys can be seen at every point casting for the speckled beauties.

All the ditch companies are at work cleaning out and Reno's unemployed have pick and shovel in hand. Take the Orr, Highland, Steamboat, Lake and Southside ditches and they give employment to a large number of men at this season of the year.

The Supreme Court has decided that H. C. Cutting, Superintendent of Public Instruction, is entitled to the $2,800 salary allowed him by the Legislature as Curator of the State Museum for the years 1895 and 1896. For those years he received only $1,000 salary per annum as Superintendent of Public Instruction.

The Water Company has commenced work on its new 22-inch pipe line to connect the city reservoirs with its University reservoir, by which they will be enabled to maintain high pressure while having ample time to clean out reservoirs. The new main down Virginia street to Commercial Row will also be laid this summer, as also the intersecting main across Sixth, from Ralston to Virginia.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys, will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whisky nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price 50c. per bottle at Hodgkinson's Drug Store.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25cts per box. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson

OUR NATIONAL LEGISLATORS

Who Appeal In a Certain Way to Certain People.

To him who in the love of the capitol holds communion with its daily visitors they speak a various language.

Which, being interpreted, means that if one frequent the capitol and listen to what one may hear there he will hear some right funny things.

Not a great while ago there was a small party of persons from some one of the outlying Maryland or Virginia districts, presumably the latter, as the mud on their shoes was redder than Maryland mud, who were seeing the sights of the magnificent building under the direction of one of those useful adjuncts to the cause of education, a capitol guide.

The party had got as far as the rotunda and were gazing on the paintings, works of art, and so forth, in that circular collection of movable and immovable creations, when a handsome man came out of the entrance leading from the house and passed in review.

"That," said the guide, designating the gentleman passing, "is the handsomest member of congress."

"Is that so?" responded the oldest woman in the party, one of that sharp faced, sharp tongued kind of elderly women one always wants to hear talk and still is always in fear lest he hear something that would cut a hole in him.

Then, without waiting to hear what further the guide might have to say on the subject, she moved around where she could get a view of the beautiful legislator as long as he was in sight, and fairly feasted her eyes on him in fascinated silence.

Some minutes later another "object of interest" passed the party.

"There goes the smartest man in congress," said the guide.

"Is that so?" responded the elderly woman in exactly the same tone as before, and she at once manifested an exactly similar interest in this one and watched him until he had passed out of sight.

For as long as five minutes thereafter she was silent and walked aimlessly behind the others, looking at those wonderful pictures on the walls, but not seeing them.

"What's the matter with mother?" exclaimed a tall, gangling girl, turning to see what had become of the good lady.

"Th' ain't nothin the matter with me," she answered as spry as anything. "I was jest a-thinkin I'd like to be purty, and I'd like to be smart, but I'd rather be like what I am than be a congressman, 'deed I would, and I don't keer who knows it!"

And she evidently didn't, for everybody within 50 feet of her could hear what she said.—Washington Star.

For Over Fifty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children when teething. If disturbed at night, and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth, send at once and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhœa regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the gums, reduces Inflammation and gives Tone and Energy to the whole system. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price 25 cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup." 4-ly

Shoes! Shoes!

For men, youths and children, fully 25 per cent cheaper than any place in town, for a few days only. Men's shoes at $1.25 a pair; children's shoes at $1 a pair, at the grand clearance sale of S. Jacobs, the leading clothier.

Centaur Company, 77 Murray Street, New York City.

When she was a child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Reno Mercantile Company

—Commercial Row, Reno, Nev.—

For the Spring Trade--

Seeds, Builders Materials, Hardware, Plows, Mowers, Machine Extras and Farming and Gardening Tools of All Kinds.

STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES!

Prices at Bedrock.

DONNELS & STEINMETZ,

Investment Company's New Building, Corner Second and Sierra Streets, Reno, Nevada.

—DEALERS IN—

CARPETS, FURNITURE and UPHOLSTERY

Re-Upholstering and Repairing in Their Various Branches a Specialty.

Wheeler & Wilson Ball-Bearing Sewing Machines.

THE

PALACE DRY GOODS AND CARPET HOUSE

Special This Week!

75 Large Size White Crochet Bed Spreads, Pearl Hemmed Ready for Use,

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF Nevada, Washoe county.
In the matter of the estate of M. L. Holland, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified by the Second Judicial District Court of Nevada, Washoe county, as administratrix of the estate of M. L. Holland, late of said county, now deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present them to the Clerk of said Court within forty days from the date of the first publication of this notice, as the law directs, or they will be forever barred. MARY HOLLAND, Administratrix.
Dated April 8, 1897. 4w

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

SPANISH SPRING VALLEY DITCH COMpany. Location of ditch, Spanish Spring Valley, Washoe county, State of Nevada; office, Reno, in said county, and State.
Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees held at its office on the 27th day of March, 1897, assessment number 7 of $2.00 per share was levied upon each and every share of the capital stock of the company, payable immediately in lawful money to the Treasurer at the Bank of Nevada, Reno. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on

The 26th day of April, 1897,

Will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold by the Secretary at the office of the company on Wednesday, May 26, 1897, at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day, to pay the delinquent assessment and expenses of sale
By order of the Board of Trustees.
R. S. OSBURN, Secretary pro tem.
Reno, Nev., March 29, 1897 3-30td.

DELINQUENT SALE NOTICE.

NORTH STAR GOLD MINING COMPANY —Location of principal place of business, Reno, Nev.; location of works, Grizzly Valley, Plumas county, Cal.—Notice: There is delinquent upon the following described stock on account of assessment No. 1, levied on the 12th day of January, 1897, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows:

Names.	No. Certificate.	No. Shares.	Amount
Antone Dragovich	14	1,000	$20 00
do do	15	1,000	20 00
do do	16	1,000	20 00
do do	17	1,000	20 00
do do	18	1,000	20 00
do do	19	1,000	20 00
do do	20	23,638½	472 76

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Trustees made on the 12th day of January, 1897. So many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company at Reno, Nevada, on Wednesday, the 17th day of March, 1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of said day to pay said delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising and expense of sale
JOHN S. GILSON, Secretary.
February 18, 1897.

POSTPONEMENT.
The foregoing sale is hereby postponed until April 1, 1897.
JOHN S GILSON, Secretary.

POSTPONMENT.
The above sale is postponed until May 1, 1897.
By order of the Board of Trustees.
JNO. S. GILSON, Secretary.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

ORR EXTENSION DITCH COMPANY—Location of ditch, Washoe county, Nevada—Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the above named company, held on the 19th day of March, 1897, an assessment of forty ($40) dollars per share was levied upon each an every share of the capital stock of the company payable immediately in United States gold coin to R. S. Osburn, Secretary, at the Bank of Nevada, in Reno, Nevada. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on

The 18th day of April, 1897,

Shall be deemed delinquent, and will be advertised for sale at public auction, and unless previously paid will be sold by the Secretary of said company at his office on Tuesday, the 18th day of May, 1897, at 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, to pay such delinquent assessment, together with the cost and expenses of sale.
By order of the Board of Trustees.
R. S. OSBURN, Secretary pro tem.
Reno, Nev., March 19, 1897. 3-21td

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Paula Mayheim, deceased—Notice is hereby given by the administrators of the estate of said deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said deceased to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers to the administrator within four months from the date of the first publication of this notice at the office of T. V. Julien on Virginia street, in Reno, Nevada, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Washoe. JOSEPH HAUSMANN, EVALINA HAUSMANN, Administrators.
T. V. JULIEN, Attorney for the Estate.
Dated March 18, 1897.

WAGAR HOUSE.

MRS. D. P. HICKEY, recently of the Hotel Reno, has leased this well-known property, where she will be pleased to meet her friends and former patrons. She has a number of
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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

AN ACT RELATING TO THE PURchase of Supplies. (Approved March 9, 1893.)

The People of the State of Nevada Represented in Senate and Assembly Do Enact As Follows:

Section 1—All supplies and goods purchased for the State of Nevada, or any county in the State, shall be purchased of merchants and business men of the State of Nevada, whenever said merchants and business men are ready to supply such supplies and goods at an advance of not more than 10 per cent over San Francisco prices, freight added, *provided* that all supplies for the use of the county shall be purchased by the County Commissioners.

AN ACT PRESCRIBING THE DUTIES of the various State Boards and Commissioners as they are now constituted, and restricting the powers of State officers and employes. (Approved March 16, 1895.)

The People of the State of Nevada Represented in Senate and Assembly Do Enact As Follows:

Section 1—From and after the passage of this Act, no officer or employee of the State shall purchase on the credit of the State any article of supplies, goods, wares or merchandise or obtain any services to be rendered by any person for the State, except by express permission and written authority previously obtained from the Board or Commissioners, or a majority of the members therof, having control and supervision of the department or office for which such purchase is made or such services are rendered, except only in cases where such officer or employee has specific authority to purchase or obtain the same conferred upon him by Statute.

Section 2—The State Board of Examiners shall not allow, nor the State Treasurer pay, any claims of any person for goods sold or services rendered unless the same were sold or rendered in accordance with the provisions of Section 1 of this Act.

AN ACT TO RESTRICT THE CREATION of deficiencies in funds or appropriations set apart or made by the Legislature of the State of Nevada.

The People of the State of Nevada Represented in Senate and Assembly Do Enact As Follows:

Section 1—No Board, Commission, State officer or employee of the State of Nevada having charge of or entrusted with the expenditure or disbursement of any money set apart or appriated by the Legislature to be paid out or expended for the benefit of the State of Nevada, shall expend or pay out or contract to be expended or paid out any sum of money whatever in excess of the amount so set apart or appriated by the Legislature, so as to create a deficiency in such fund or appropriation unless such deficiency and the amount thereof shall have been first authorized in writing by the State Board of Examiners.

Section 2—The State Board of Examiners is hereby prohibited from allowing, and the State Controller from drawing his warrant for any deficiency claim against the State of Nevada not incurred or created in accordance with the provision of Section 1 of this Act.

Section 3—This Act shall take effect and be in force from and after the date of its passage.

By order of
3-21w4 The State Board of Examiners.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

ORR WATER DITCH COMPANY—LOCATION of property, Reno, Washoe county, Nevada; place of business, Reno.—Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Orr Water Ditch Company, held the 2d day of April, 1897, assessment No. 63 of $8 per share was levied on each and every share of the capital stock of the company, payable immediately in lawful money to the Treasurer, the Washoe County Bank of Reno. Any stock upon which the assessment shall remain unpaid on

Monday, May 3, 1897,

Will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold by the Secretary at the office of the company on Friday, June 4, 1897, at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day, to pay the delinquent assessment and expenses of sale.
By order of the Board of Trustees,
CHAS. GULLING, Secretary.
Reno, Nev., April 9, 1897. td

BIDS WANTED.

BIDS FOR THE ERECTION AND COMpletion of a Mechanical Building, Nevada State University.
The Regents of the Nevada State University will receive sealed bids for the erection and completion of the main portion of the Mechanical Building, according to the plans and specifications to be on file in the office of the President of the University from and after 10 o'clock A. M. Monday, April 5, 1897. Said bids to be filed with the Secretary of the Board of Regents on or before 2 o'clock P. M.

Saturday, April 17, 1897,

At which hour the bids will be opened at the office of the Board in Morrill Hall.
Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check for five hundred dollars, payable to the order of the Board of Regents, as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder.
The Regents reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
4-2td GEO. H. TAYLOR, Secretary.

Amity Lodge, No. 8, K. of P.

THE REGULAR MEETINGS OF AMITY Lodge, No. 8, Knights of Pythias are held in Pythian Hall, New Investment Building, every Tuesday evening commencing at 8 o'clock sharp. All knights in good standing are fraternally invited to attend By order of the Chancellor Commander.
S. J. HODGKINSON, K. of R. & S
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Truckee Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F.

TRUCKEE LODGE, NO. 14, I. O. O.F., meet in their new hall in Clough & Crosby's building, Second street, Reno, Nevada, every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Punctual attendance of members is requested. Sojourning brothers in good standing are cordially invited to attend
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My love is like—is like a rose
Kissed by the morning dew;
Yet never rose brief summer knows
So fair, my love, as you.
And when vile winter wilts the leaf
And the pink petals come to grief,
Stay, love, and shame the rose.

My love hath bosom like the snow,
Less cold and doubly fair.
But when earth's wintry fleece must go,
When spring breathes in the air
And flowers spring to bless the sight,
Love rules the heart with added might,
Stay, love, and shame the snow.

My love's dark eye shines like a star
When the rude day has fled.
Aye, fairer far, thy avatar
Brings blessings on my head.
The star, that distant bides, is wise
To shrink from rivaling thy eyes.
Stay, love, and shame the star.
—J. L. Heaton in "The Quilting Bee."

HARPOONING TARPON.

A Royal Sport That Appeals to Both Hunters and Fishers.

A writer for Outing tells about the sport of striking tarpon.

"For this," he says, "one uses a barbed iron called 'grains' or a short, stout harpoon known as a 'lily iron,' either of which is temporarily attached to a light pine pole, the striking pole, and is cast as a spear might be.

"The grains is a double pronged wrought iron instrument, the prongs usually not more than 3 or 4 inches in length, and from three-sixteenths to three-eighths of an inch thick. Strong barbs are sprung an inch from the delicately sharp, hardened points, having a spread of three-eighths of an inch and about 1½ inches space between the two. The prongs are cut so that the points, while extending inward, are raised from opposing sides. This gives the greatest holding power. The grains has also a tapered socket for the striking pole. The lily iron is a far heavier instrument, and, unlike the grains, is capable of killing at a blow. The upper sides of the barbs are left broad and flat, enabling them to withstand a strain of several hundred pounds. A heavier and sharper weapon is used to strike swordfish or porpoises, as the former are dangerous creatures, unless hit mortally. Then there are necessary 300 or 400 feet of soft 'striking line,' three-sixteenths of an inch in diameter, and one of the ordinary fishing boats of the Florida coast and a guide.

"On approaching the tarpon run the sails and mast are stowed, and the guide uses a pole in the shallow water and sculls in the channel. A fish being seen, the striker indicates its direction, and, standing in the bow with widely spread legs, leaning well back, with poised spear, the man waits till he is within 20 feet, unless he is unusually powerful, then hurls the weapon, which shoots with a hiss into the water.

"The fish is anywhere from two to three feet beneath the surface of the water, changing its position constantly, and, because of the refraction, seemingly anywhere but where it really is. A successful throw buries the points in the flesh, and the pole comes loose and floats to the surface, to be picked up when the tarpon makes its first rush. It is best to let the tarpon go without trying to stop it on the first rush, as the barbs may fall out. When the rush is over, the boat is run toward the fish. Then out of the water it goes, not with the grace and head shaking of a hooked tarpon, but with a rush and surge. Then it tows the boat, if the fish is a 100 or 150 pounder, at a rapid rate. Sometimes the fish sulks and leaps, darting at the boat to scrape the grains out of its flesh. It takes about half as long to kill a tarpon with a spear as with a hook, but it is a fiercer fight while it lasts."

THE FIRST DIRECTORY.

Some Quaint Olden Time New York Business and Social Addresses.

In the first directory of New York city, which was issued in 1786, there are some peculiar and quaint entries. For instance, in those days it was not uncommon for medical practitioners to sell drugs, as is shown by the following address, "Samuel Bredhurst, physican and apothecary, 64 Queen (now Pearl) street."

Clergymen of that period were exceedingly precise regarding their titles. Thus, "Abraham Bache, reverend of the Church of England, 29 Smith street," and "Joze Phelan, clergyman of the Church of Rome, 1 Beekman street."

Leon Rogers, tailor, of 55 Broadway, was described as a "breeches maker;" John Bean, 60 Broadway, as "surgeon and tooth puller;" S. Crygier, 69 Cherry street, "punch and porter house;" Je Deleplane of 132 Queen street, "Quaker speaker;" D. Hitchcock, 89 Queen street, "house carpenter and undertaker;" John Hogland, 95 Queen street, "fiddler, etc.;" Henry H. Kip, 25 King street, "inspector of pot and pearl ashes;" John Nitchie, 7 Garden street, "starch and hair powder maker;" Samuel B. Webb, 29 Lower Dock street, "gentleman."

In those days, too, there were a great many "gentlewomen" and a few "washwomen." All teachers were then addressed either as "schoolmasters" or "schoolmistresses." The retail dealers on Broadway and Wall and Queen streets called themselves "shopkeepers," the hotel men were "tavern keepers," and the policemen were "watchmen."—New York Post.

Where She Couldn't Go.

The spinster on the platform grew more vehement. She drank two glasses of water from the big white pitcher and pounded the table until the display of glass and crockery ware leaped again.

"I thank heaven," she cried, "that I am free from all matrimonial chains! What use have I for a husband? I want neither a slave nor a tyrant. I am free—free as air. I can go and come as I please. No door is shut to me; no assembly bars me out. Is there a solitary gathering to which I may not have free and unrestrained access?"

"Yes," cried a shrill voice in the rear of the hall.

"And what is it?" sternly demanded the spinster.

"The convention of mothers!" shrieked the voice.

Then the orator turned pale and went and sat down.—Washington Star.

Keeping His Chords In Tune.

"I saw that German tenor drink about two gallons of beer last night."

"Nothing strange about that," replied the manager. "He is determined that his voice shall not lose its rich liquid quality."—Detroit Free Press.

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A rebate of $1 50 will be allowed upon return of case and bottles.

The Nevada Experiment Station has made an analysis of the water with the following results per gallon:

Silica, 1.113 grains; Sodium Chloride (common salt), 14.671 grains; Calcium Chloride, 5.527 grains; Calcium Sulphate, (Gypsum) 2.481 graine; Magnesium Sulphate (Epsom Salts), 8.128 grains; Magnesium Carbonate, 12.030 grains.

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